

<b>COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY</b> <small>(Includes Reference to PCT International Applications)</small>	Attorney's Docket Number <b>F-7237</b>
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD FOR CONTROLLING MECHANISMS AND TECHNICAL SYSTEMS, A  
CORRESPONDING DEVICE AND CONTROL SOFTWARE

the specification of which (check only one item below):

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☐ was filed as United States application  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended  
on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).
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Number PCT/DE01/01331  
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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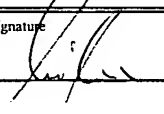
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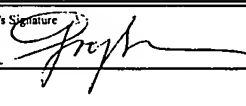
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